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TO:

Audit Committee

FROM:

Robert Smythe, Acting Chief

Audit Division

SUBJECT: REVIEW OF SIX BOARD DELEGATED AUTHORITIES

As requested by the Executive Office of the Board, we have reviewed the following six Board Delegated Authorities:

- 20.020 Establish, Increase, Reduce, or Discontinue Revolving Funds
- 20.030 Establish, Abolish Funds and Transfer Money
- 20.040 Property Tax Correction
- 20.050 Replenish Cash Difference Fund
- 20.060 Replenish Shortages in County Officers' Accounts
- 20.070 Revolving Cash Trust Funds

We recommend deleting Board Delegated Authority 20.050 because Cash Difference Funds were discontinued based on a November 14, 1996 Board approved-motion. In addition, we are deleting reference to Revenue and Taxation Code Section 5071 from Board Delegated Authority 20.040 because the referenced Section does not apply to the Auditor-Controller. We are requesting that the sunset review date for the five remaining Board Delegated Authorities be revised to June 30, 2017.

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We look forward to discussing the proposed revisions with you at this month's Audit Committee meeting. Please call me at 213-253-0101 if you have questions or need additional information.

RS:jn

Attachments

c: Wendy L. Watanabe



Los Angeles County

BOARD DELEGATED AUTHORITY

Policy #:	Title:	Adopted Date:
1		
20.050	Replenish Cash Difference Fund	03/29/1977
	Department:	
Auditor-Controller		

POLICY

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 29380.1 of the Government Code applications to have the Cash Difference Fund replenished shall be made with the Auditor-Controller and he is authorized to perform the functions of the Board to replenish the Cash Difference Fund and to transfer money in the Overage Fund to the County General Fund. The Auditor Controller shall render a written report and give an account to the Board of these Funds at the end of each fiscal year and at such other times as the Board directs

REFERENCE

Government Code Section 29380.1

Adopted by Board of Supervisors March 29, 1977, Synopsis No. 17

RESPONSIBLE DEPARTMENT

Auditor-Controller

DATE ADOPTED/SUNSET REVIEW DATE

Adopted Date: March 29, 1977

Sunset Review Date: June 30, 2013

20.050